



A Missouri State Library news service

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*Newsline Extra features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.*

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## **Certifications required for Missouri public libraries**

Public libraries in Missouri should receive a packet of documents from the Missouri State Library today, detailing some certification requirements due in the next few months.

Libraries will need to submit a technology plan for the State Library's approval, as an approved plan is required from each public library for MOREnet to collect an E-rate discount for that library's Internet connection. Those plans are due June 11, 2004.

Compliance requirements for RSMo 182.255 and .287 regarding limiting access to material that is pornographic for minors are also enclosed in the packet (due June 30), as well as updates on state aid and library statistics collection.

All of the information in the packet has been posted to the State Library's Web site, at <http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/certifications/>. Please contact the State Library at 800-325-0131 if you have questions about the certification documents.

## **Promoting "Discover New Trails" Summer Reading Program**

The Collaborative Summer Library Program (CSLP), in conjunction with Upstart, the CSLP vendor, has produced a public service announcement to promote the 2004 summer reading theme, "Discover New Trails @ Your Library." The thirty-second PSA encourages families to discover what is new at their local public libraries.

A limited supply of Beta format PSA videos is available from the State Library. To determine whether you wish to share the PSA video with a local television station, you may download a copy of the PSA for preview purposes at <ftp://ftp.sos.mo.gov/>. Use the following username and password to access the file:

Username: pubftp

Password: pubftp

Open the folder labeled "Public," and copy the file labeled "Discover New Trails.mpg" onto your desktop or elsewhere on your computer. You may then view the file using RealPlayer or Window Media Player. If you experience difficulty viewing the PSA file, please contact Nancee Dahms-Stinson at [nancee.dahms-stinson@sos.mo.gov](mailto:nancee.dahms-stinson@sos.mo.gov) or 800-325-0131, ext. 5.

Once you have previewed the PSA, you may request a copy of the Beta version videotape by contacting Nicole Hoskins at [nicole.hoskins@sos.mo.gov](mailto:nicole.hoskins@sos.mo.gov) or 800-325-0131, ext. 0. Please include your name, library, and mailing address. The videos will be shipped UPS, so **only** physical addresses will be accepted. Please do not provide post office box numbers. Orders will be accepted through May 28, 2004.

Please contact Nancee Dahms-Stinson if you have any questions about the "Discover New Trails @ Your Library" PSA or the 2004 statewide summer reading program.

## Filtering service start-up costs established

Last week MOREnet announced the pricing for the N2H2 Bess Internet content filtering service for July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005. The Missouri State Library is using LSTA funds to support one-time hardware and software start-up costs to make the Internet content filtering service more affordable for public and school libraries. All MOREnet customers are eligible to purchase this service, and organizations that do not participate will not see any impact on their local or Internet traffic.

By providing N2H2 Bess Internet content filtering on the MOREnet network, there is no need for organizations to purchase additional equipment. This service provides a wide range of customization and functionality, including the ability to report and track capabilities for organizations down to the individual workstation, remove individual workstations from the filter, and customize filtering categories/configurations by groups of workstations or by building.

Due to the filtering solution's use of IP addresses, organizations running Network Address Translation (NAT) on their networks may have limited functionality. MOREnet is researching the equipment, support and training details to support this type of network and will have information available at a later date. Please contact MOREnet Technical Support at 1-800-509-6673 for information on how the Internet content filtering service will work with your network design.

Internet content filtering service pricing for July 1, 2004 - June 30, 2005:

1 - 50 total Internet accessible computers:	Purchase subscriptions needed in 5 packs at \$16.00 per 5 pack.
51 - 100 total Internet accessible computers:	Purchase subscriptions needed in 10 packs at \$32.00 per 10 pack.
101 - 1,000 total Internet accessible computers:	Purchase subscriptions needed in 25 packs at \$80.00 per 25 pack.

Pricing on subscriptions over 1,000 will be available on MOREnet's Internet Content Filtering Web site soon.

The N2H2 Bess Internet content filtering service will be sold to organizations based on the total number of computers in the organization that access the Internet. This service is not available for one building in a multiple building organization.

Per vendor requirements, MOREnet will be requesting updates on increases in the number of computers accessing the Internet from the organization so that an accurate number of subscriptions are purchased. If the organization increases the number of computers above its original purchase, an invoice will be created based on pricing as outlined above.

A Web site with additional product, technical and ordering information will be available soon. If you have any additional questions, please contact your Program Manager at 1-800-509-6673 or e-mail Jeanne Sullivan at [Jeanne@more.net](mailto:Jeanne@more.net).

## **MOREnet training schedule for the summer now available**

MOREnet recently posted new classes beginning in May and throughout the summer. New courses range from the multiple-day camps, Web Authoring and Microsoft Windows 2003, to one day sessions on the Internet safety program, NetSmartz. To see the full schedule, go to <http://www.more.net/training/schedule.html>.

## **Registration still open for consumer health conference**

Trying to use the many consumer health information resources can be overwhelming, but a two-day workshop offered by the University of Missouri can make that task easier for librarians. Registration is still open for “Unlocking the Mysteries of Consumer Health Information,” on June 10-11, 2004, in Columbia. The conference will provide hands-on practice to find the best consumer health information resources available.

Topics for the workshop include:

- Determining the good from the bad health resources
- Finding reliable drug information
- Discovering local health information and resources for diverse populations
- Asking the right questions of patrons with health-related queries

Registration for the conference costs \$40 and includes three meals. Contact Jennifer Bloss at (573) 882-4546 to register or for more information.

## **Library research seminar in KC**

Join your colleges to share research and scholarship at the “Learning and Growing: Inquiry into Librarianship” seminar on October 14-16, 2004, in Kansas City, Missouri. Proposals for juried papers, panels, and doctoral student poster presentations are due to the University of Missouri School of Information Science and Learning Technologies by June 1, 2004.

Proposals on services, access to information, facilities and technology, organizations, personnel, and the foundations of the profession are welcome. For more information, go to <http://libraryresearchseminar.org/> or e-mail John Budd ([BuddJ@missouri.edu](mailto:BuddJ@missouri.edu)) or Charles Seavey ([SeaveyC@missouri.edu](mailto:SeaveyC@missouri.edu)).

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